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- 1. A cargo of raw cotton in Tsingtao which is consigned to the Kincheng Eanking Corporation* allegedly is to be used for the recapitalization of the Shanghai branch of the bank. There is a possibility that the Tsingtae branch will be required to undergo a recapitalization of People's Eank Notes (PEN) \$\frac{100,000,000}{200}\$. The Tsingtae branch also needs PBN \$\frac{100,000,000}{200}\$ to Liquidate the heavy financial burden represented by the Tsinan branch, which is doing no business.
- 2. Another cargo of raw cotton in Tsingtao, consigned to the Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank*, allegedly is to be used for the recapitalization of all banks in China controlled by this bank.

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